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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Rhodes, et al.  
Appl. No. : 09/916,711  
Filed : July 27, 2001  
For : SENSOR HEAD FOR USE WITH  
IMPLANTABLE DEVICES  
Examiner : Nasser, R. L.  
Group Art Unit : 3736

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2005, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Summary of Interview** begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number **20995****AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Amendment in 10 pages.

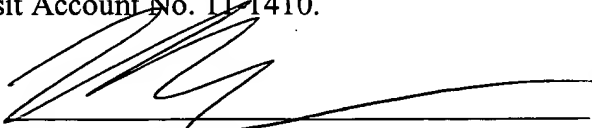
The fee has been calculated as shown below:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

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